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Serial No. 10/697,695

Examiner: West, Jeffrey R.

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Title:

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DISTRIBUTED POWER GENERATION PLANT AUTOMATED EVENT

ASSESSMENT AND MITIGATIONM PLAN DETERMINATION PROCESS

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**AMENDMENT** 

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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Independent claims after amendment

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\$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$

Applicant claims "small entity" status.

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## **AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.